

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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TITLE : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
GRAY-SCALE GAMMA  
CORRECTION FOR  
ELECTROLUMINESCENT  
DISPLAYS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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☒ Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and  
Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner mailed **June 21, 2010**.

☐ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) reinstatement of the previously filed appeal,  
mailed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.31 and appeal(s) from the last decision of the  
Examiner mailed .

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. **STATUS OF APPLICANT**

- ☐ This application is on behalf of a large entity.
- ☐ Applicant(s) claim(s) small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27. Therefore, the fee is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is listed below.

2. **EXTENSION OF TERM**

- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time up to and including December 21, 2010 in which to file this Notice of Appeal. Payment for the filing of this Notice of Appeal and any appropriate extension of time fees are authorized to be charged to a Credit Card via EFS-Web. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If there are any additional fees required by this communication, please charge same to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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4. **TOTAL FEES DUE**

Total notice of appeal fee: \$540  
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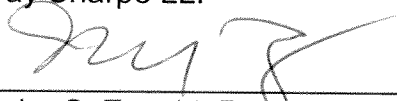
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